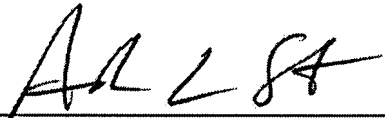


REMARKS

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed July 10, 2007, requiring an election of the claimed invention between Group I as embodied in Claims 1-9 and Group II as embodied in Claims 10-12. Applicant hereby elects Group I embodied within Claims 1-9. Claims 10-12 are cancelled from further consideration without prejudice or disclaimer and are subject to the filing of a divisional application.

Applicant has now made an earnest effort to place this case in condition for examination and allowance. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application and allowance of the pending claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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